

The Waukon City Council met in special session via an electronic meeting on May 18, 2020 at 6:45 o'clock P.M. in the council room of City Hall, 101 Allamakee Street, and via Zoom technology. Mayor Pro Tem Gayle Decker presided (via Zoom). Mayor Pat Stone arrived late. The Governor of Iowa declared a public emergency because of the COVID-19 pandemic. It has been determined that if an in-person meeting is impossible or impractical, per Iowa Code Section 21.8, we are permitted to conduct a meeting by electronic means. Council members present (via Zoom): John Lydon, John Ellingson (arriving late), Ben Rausch, and Gayle Decker. Council members absent: Arvid Hatlan. Others present (via Zoom): City Manager Gary Boden.

The Mayor Pro Tem called the meeting to order.

Moved by: Lydon

Seconded by: Rausch

To approve the agenda.

Yes: Lydon, Rausch, Decker

Absent: Hatlan, Ellingson

No: 0

The Mayor Pro Tem declared the motion carried.

Moved by: Lydon

Seconded by: Rausch

To enter into closed session per Iowa Code Chapter 21.5 (1)(j) to discuss the purchase or sale of particular real estate only where premature disclosure could be reasonably expected to increase the price the governmental body would have to pay for that property or reduce the price the governmental body would receive for that property. (2 items)

Yes: Lydon, Rausch, Decker

Absent: Hatlan, Ellingson

No: 0

The Mayor Pro Tem declared the motion carried.

Moved by: Ellingson

Seconded by: Lydon

To enter into open session.

Yes: Decker, Lydon, Ellingson, Rausch

Absent: Hatlan

No: 0

The Mayor Pro Tem declared the motion carried.

No action following closed session.

The City Council preceded to conduct the regular session at 7:00 P.M.

Lana D. Snitker
City Clerk